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Masonic Temple Plans Adopted

Treasurer's Report Will Show Cash on Hand About $700,000 Which With Pledges Will Total $1,500,000

MODEL PLACED ON EXHIBITION

Session Presided Over by Louis A. Watres—Morning Devoted to Receiving Reports From Committees—Delegates to Witness Degree Work Tonight at Elks' Lodge Room—Plans For Tomorrow Provide For Pilgrimage to Mount Vernon—Date For Cornerstone Laying Left With Directors.

The association this afternoon adopted the plans for the temple without change. A date for the laying of the cornerstone was left to the board of directors of the association.

The twelfth annual meeting of the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association convened shortly before 10 o'clock this morning in the Masonic Temple with delegates from practically every state in the union in attendance The morning session was given over to hearing addresses and receiving reports from various committees.

The model of the proposed temple was submitted to the association and this afternoon it was viewed by city officials and members of the city council and others at the Masonic Temple.

It is expected that the design will be adopted by the association. Both the architects and consulting architects and the landscape architects are here and all went over the plans with the members of the building committe and the attending delegates.

One of the most important matters which will be heard this afternoon will be the report of the treasurer. This report it is understood will show that cash on hand amounts to about $700,000, and in addition that the pledges received will bring the grand total to about a million and a half dollars.

As heretofore stated in these columns the association proposes to raise a grand total of approximately $2,500,000 the temple proper to cost $1,500,000, the landscape gardening to cost $400,000 and to provide an endowment fund of at least $500,000.

If present plans are adopted this afternoon it is regarded as highly probable that the work will be started without delay and the foundation of the handsome Masonic memorial temple will be probably laid early in April.

The sessions of the association are being presided over by Louis A. Watres, of Pennsylvania, . The opening prayer this morning was delivered by Rev. William J. Morton, rector of Christ Church, chaplain of the Memorial Association. An address of welcome was delivered by James H. Price, grand master of Masons in Virginia.

Afterward came reports and addresses from a number of the visitors.

The members of the association adjourned at 12:30 o'clock for luncheon which was served at the Masonic Temple by a committee of ladies

Helmle and Corbett architects of New York City, have completed the plans for the temple and Osgood and Osgood of Grand Rapids, Michigan, are the consulting architects and Olmsted Brothers, Brookline, Mass., are the landscape architects.

"This great building is primarily a memorial to George Washington, the man and the Mason. Its form is inspired by the great memorial monuments built in the ancient days of Greece and Rome to mark the entrances to the harbors and. from whose summits great burning flares marked the entrance for the mariner. So too in the United States the revered precepts of George Washington will always serve to guide the statesmen of the nation.

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HARDING'S PLAN FOR REFORM IS BEING HELD UP

Proposed Reorganization of Government Machinery Has Been Postponed

ENTHUSIASM COOLED

Congress, With Election to Consider, Has No Time To Devote To Question.

Washington, Feb. 21.—Reorganization of the executive machinery of the Federal Government—one of the burning issues of the early days of the present Administration, is about to be shelved for an indefinite time.

The enormous saving in money through the promised elimination of red tape and overlapping of departmental and bureau activities, the further demobilization of the civil army of the Government and through a wholesale reduction in the overhead expenses, must wait.

Complications, both executive and legislative, have arisen. The enthusiasm for reorganization, as sweeping at the outset of this regime as it was at the outset of others that have gone before, has waned. The zeal for reform has cooled.

It would be premature to say that the enterprise has been abandoned. It is still alive, but it is in reserve, and it will remain in reserve for many months to come, if not for all time.

In the first place, the President who was the leading champion of a complete overhauling of the machine which he operates, has found it next to impossible to reconcile his Cabinet to the various projects which have been recommended to him. There is backfiring all along the line. There is revolt further back in the trenches where the bureau, the division and section chiefs are fighting grimly for their jobs and their small prestige.

In the next place, Congress has no time for an unlimited debate upon a reorganization plan. It would probably take longer to bring the two houses into an accord on this question than to ratify a series of disarmament treaties, work out a bonus scheme or enact a new tariff act.

Beside a Congressional election is just ahead and both the House and Senate are impatient to adjourn about June 1 in order to get into the campaign.

The opportunity for a swift and decisive shake-up in the Federal Government existed soon after last March 4. The President had it in his power then to put the thing over. There were no

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NEW CLUE TO TRAIN VICTIM

Hospital Patient at Oden N. C., Believes he can Identify Man

Man Thought to be Named Brennan Hails From South Dakota Writer Thinks

Chief of Police Goods today received a letter from James L. Bevers of Atlanta, Ga., inclosing a letter received from John D. Brown, U. S. Hospital, Oden, N. C., in reference to the man believed to be named Brennan, who was struck and killed February 8 last about two miles south of Alexandria by a southbound Southern Railway passenger train and whose body is now at Demaine's chapel awaiting identification.

The writer says that he saw an account of the affair in an Atlanta newspaper. He is of the opinion that the man may be one by the name of Brannen, whom he knows. and who, he says, was in Virginia the last he heard from him. According to the writer the man of that name whom he knows lived in either Aberdeen or Bismark, South Dakota. According to Brown, the man whom he knows lived with his stepfather, named Pollock. The description given by the writer tallies somewhat with the dead man. Chief Goods today forwarded a description of the man to the writer and efforts will also be made to locate relatives of the man described by Brown living in South Dakota.

Moore to Speak Here

Honorable R. Walton Moore will deliver a patriotic address tomorrow evening at the Lyceum Hall under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus in celebration of the birth of the Father of Our Country. Representative Moore is an able speaker, and his address tomorrow evening is in line with the policy of the national order of the Knights of Columbus to appropriately honor the memory of those who have throughout the decades made American History. The committee in charge extends a hearty invitation to all Alexandrians to be present; and in addition to an interesting address, has arranged for an entertaining musical program.

WASHINGTON DAY BY DAY

Washington, Feb. 21.—Announcement that four Democratic Senators, always known heretofore as followers of former President Wilson, will take part in the campaign of Senator Reed of Misosuri for renomination, has stirred up a good deal of comment and speculation at the National Capital. Reed announced his candidacy for renomination only last week after a trip over his State to sound out sentiment. He is being opposed by Breckenridge Long, who was Third Assistant Secretary of State under Wilson and who is running against Reed on a platform of support for the League of Nations and the Wilson policies in general. Reed, as is well known, was one of the irreconsilable opponents of the League, and a bitter opponent of Wilson, who Reed said was a traitor to his country.

Quite confident of the support of all Democrats who were friends of Wilson and the League. Long has been much surprised to learn that Senators Stanley of Kentucky, Simmons and Overman of North Carolina and Hitchcock of Nebraska will probably take the stump for Reed in his campaign for re-election.

The long-awaited investigation of the lobby on the dyestuffs bill was scheduled to start today and a large number of witnesses appeared at the hearing in response to summonses. But when the hearing was about to start, Senator Shortridge of California found he had been deserted by the two other members of the investigating committee, and as he did not care to undertake the investigation by himself, he adjourned the meeting until the Senate can provide him with assistants. Senator Ernst of Kentucky, one of the members of the subcommittee, resigned because his law firm is councel for a dye company, and Senator Reed of Missouri, another member ,resigned to devote himself to his campaign for renomination in Missouri.

President Harding is being urged to fill the three highest offices in the Postoffice Department because of the steady decrease in the efficiency of the department and the postoffices throughout the country since the announcement of the resignation of Postmaster General Will H. Hays, effective March 4. Officials of the department said today that the department has been going steadily down hill in the last few weeks and much time will be required to build up the morale of the service unless the successors to Postmaster General Hays and his assistants are selected with the least possible delay. It is known that the acting officials who have been running the department during the last month have merely been working time, because of lack of authority. It has been years since any department has been without so many ranking officials as the Postoffice Department is today.

Republican members of the Ways and Means Committee wrestled with the soldier bonus problem for three hours today but at the end of that time they were no nearer solution than they were on the day the President advocated either delay in enactment of the law or adoption of the sales tax method of raising revenue.

Chairman Fordney of the committee admitted after today's session that he did not know where the money to pay for the bonus was to come from, but it was intimated strongly that the committee had been considering a revision of the eight-item taxation scheme, despite the announced opposition of the President to this proposition.

The sales tax method, it was learned, has been almost definitely discarded by the committee, since it is evident that this tax can not pass the House. However, Chairman Fordney was still insistent that a bonus bill would be passed.

Republican Floor Leader Mondell said he believed a bonus bill would be passed.

"I think some kind of a bonus bill will be passed," he said. "You have got to remember that a great many members of the House made their campaigns on promises to support a bonus bill. Others have since pledged themselves to vote for it. They can not simply disregard their pledges. They have got to vote for a bonus."

"How can the money be raised?" Mondell was asked.

"That's for the Committee on Ways and Means to decide," he replied.

BIRTHNIGHT BALL

Mount Vernon Chapter D. A. R. to Give Dance Tomorrow Night

The Auditorium of the Elks' Hall has been appropriately decorated for the Birthnight Ball to be given there tomorrow night by the Mt. Vernon Chapter, D. A. R. The revival of this old time custom promises to be a delightful event. Ladies of the chapter will receive the guests and the floor committee composed of well known gentlemen will conduct the dancing. Cards of admission may be had from any of the members.

Globular lightning, of rare occurrence, appears in the form of a globe of light, remaining stationery of moving slowly through the air. Its origin is not definately known.

WHISKY LADEN VESSEL SEIZED BY AIRPLANES

Eleven Armed Airships Intercept British Schooner Off Florida Coast

11,500 CASES FOUND

Dry Agents Stage First Air Raid In Their War On Whisky Smugglers

Miami, Fla., Feb. 21.—The British schooner Annabelle was seized late Sunday off Jewfish Creek, about 40 miles south of Miami, with a cargo of 11,500 cases of whisky aboard by airplanes of the prohibition squadron, it was learned yesterday from officials here.

The entire crew of 21 men was captured and is being held under surveillance, while the confiscated liquor is under guard aboard the schooner, which is anchored off Jewfish. The crew offered no resistance when the flying machines, with their machine guns pointing at the schooner from all directions, swooped down on the vessel.

Eleven airplanes, painted a battleship grey, gradually made their way down the coast last week, it became known here today, one of them, under the command of Captain Rogers, stopping at St. Augustine, Jacksonville, Charleston and other points.

Advance information was furnished by scouts aboard subchasers which got the location of the Annabelle and yesterday a number of the planes gathered near Jewfish and at a signal gathered simultaneously over the alleged whisky carrier.

Captain Johnson, who brought the report here, stated that the prohibition squadron was equipped with a wave code which no other wireless apparatus could interpret and this is used exclusively in the sending and receiving of official messages. In the stern of each airplane is a Colt-Browning machine gun capable of firing 400 shots a minute manned by expert gunners.

PARADE WITH OLD ENGINE WEDNESDAY

Friendship Veterans to March Tomorrow at 2 P. M.

THREE BANDS IN LINE

Forty Veterans Will be Attired in Uniforms Similar to Those Worn When Company was Organized

The Friendship Veterans Fire Association, of which company George Washington was a member, will stage a parade tomorrow afternoon beginning at 2 o'clock. They will bring out the old hand engine which was used by this company in the early part of 1800. It will be drawn by men dressed in the same style uniform as used by the company when it was organized in 1774. The uniform will consist of white fire helmets, red shirts, white belts, and black trousers.

The parade will be made up as follow: Platoon of police, mayor of city, Hon. J. M. Duncan, Marine Band from Camp Humphreys, consisting of thirty-five pieces, Alexandria Machine Company Band, Alexandria Band, president and members of Friendship Fire Association, squad of men carrying the leather fire buckets which were used by that company in 1774, the old plug catcher and the old hand reel.

All of the relics of this company, including the old engine, have been highly polished and everything is in readiness for the parade Forty members of the company uniformed will be in line of march in addition to the other members of this organization.

This will be the first parade given by this organization in recent years, heretofore they having joined with others in the big parades held here on Washington's birthday.

The parade will start promptly at 2 o'clock and will form on Washington street between Prince and Duke streets, the right of line fronting north.

The order of march will be as follows: North on Washington to King, east on King to Royal, south on Royal to Prince, east on Prince to Fairfax, north on Fairfax to Cameron, west on Cameron to Washington, north on Washington to Pendleton, countermarch on Washington to King, west on King to Fayette, countermarch on King.

IN CONGRESS YESTERDAY

SENATE.

Met at noon and recessed at 5 p. m. until 12 o'clock today.

Passed House resolution extending privileges of naval radio service to the press for five years.

Passed a bill reimbursing Baltimore to the extent of $173,000 for expenses contracted in constructing works of defense around that city during the civil war.

In its annual report to Congress the Federal Reserve Board declared that business was nearing the point of the upward swing of the economic pendulum.

Passed a bill to donate the gates at the head of West Executive avenue, between the White House and State Department, to the Hayes Memorial Museum, Fremont, Ohio.

By a vote of 10 to 1 the foreign relations committee ordered a favorable report on the treaty between the United States and Japan regarding the island of Yap.

Differences on the subject of tariff valuation plans between Republican members of the Ways and Means and Finance committees were discussed at a three hours' conference behind closed doors without any agreement being reached.

Walter N. Reddick, president of the members of the Ways and Means and binders, made public a letter to the Finance Committee protesting against adoption of the foreign valuation system of assessing tariff rates as inimical to American wage workers, millions of whom, he said, are now out of work.

The long-postponed investigation of the alleged lobby activities of the dye industry and dye importers was begun yesterday afternoon before a subcommittee of the Judiciary Committee, consisting of Senators Shortridge (chairman), Sterling and Ashurst.

HOUSE.

Met at noon and adjourned at 4:15 p. m. until noon today.

Passed and sent to the Senate a resolution extending until June 30, 1923, the 3 per cent restrictive immigration act.

Republican members of the Ways and Means Committee continued consideration of the soldier bonus bill. No changes were made in the five-option plan contained in the original measure.

Burton E. Sweet, Republican member of the House from the Third Iowa District, announced his purpose to enter the Republican primaries in June as a candidate for the Senate to succeed Senator Kenyon.

Ranking Republicans of the Ways and Means Committee were invited by the majority of the Senate Finance Committee to confer with reference to the valuation plan to be written into the pending tariff bill.

Felix Fordova Davila, resident commissioner from Porto Rico, announced that today he would present in the House a series of charges against Governor Reily of Porto Rico.

J. O. Hammitt, vice president of the Air Nitrate Corporation, notified the Military Affairs Committee that acceptance by the United States of the offer of Henry Ford to purchase and lease the Muscle Shoals, Ala., nitrate and water power project "would constitute a violation of the solemn and binding agreement entered into with our company under date of June 8, 1918."

Assistant Secretary of the Navy Roosevelt told the Naval Affairs Committee that airplane carriers are vitally necessary to the navy, since airplanes themselves have shown they are essential t othe work of the fleet

REPLY BY DR. WM. J. MORTON

Rector of Christ Church Refers to His Recent Sermon

Neither Defended Nor Condemned Any Individual—Was Fair and Impartial Presentation of Conditions

Alexandria, Va., Feb. 20, 1922.
To the Editor of the Washington Times:

The article by Harvey L. Cobb in your paper of this date (February 20th) does me a gross injustice. It contains statements which are false, and deductions which are absolutely unwarranted. My sermon in Christ Church yesterday morning had as its subject "Public Opinion, Its Principles, Power and Importance." The first half of the sermon was devoted to the general subject of Public Opinion, what it is, how it is created, its place and importance in modern life, and our responsibility in helping to create a righteous attitude toward all public questions. The latter half was an attempt to apply these principles of righteousness to four subjects of present local concern,—(1) The Divorce Situation, (2) The Alexandria Public Schools, (3) Illicit Liquor Traffic, and (4) The approaching election of five councilmen under the newly adopted Commission Form of City Government.

In opening the discussion of the Divorce Evil, I began by saying that it was not a new, but an old evil, which had existed in Alexandria for many years past, and from this fact I pointed out that public opinion had grown callous on the subject, and that this

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BIRTHDAY OF GEO WASHINGTON

To Be Marked By Suspension of Business Here

Parties and Dances Planned by a Number of Organizations For Tomorrow Night

Washington's birthday will be generally observed in this city tomorrow. Schools, banks, city and government offices will be closed all day. It is expected that hundreds of persons during the day will visit Mount Vernon and many patriotic organizations will go to Mount Vernon and place wreaths on the tomb of the father of his country.

Many dances and parties have been arranged and as stated in another column there will be a parade of the Friendship Veterans' Fire Association at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Members of the George Washington Birthday Association will journey to Mount Vernon at 10:30 o'clock and place a wreath on Washington's tomb

Artificial cherries will be sold on the streets for the benefit of the Playgrounds of the city.

During the evening many parties and dances will be given.

Most of the stores in the city will be closed all day tomorrow and some will remain open till noon.

MRS. BAGGETT ARRAIGNED IN COURT FAINTS

Hearing of Case is Postponed Until March Second

COURTROOM FILLED

Charged By Thomas J. Wright of Washington With Making Alleged False Affadavit in Divorce Case

The case of Mrs. Mary L. Baggett, charged with making an alleged false affidavit in connection with the divorce case of Thomas J. Wright of Washington when called shortly after 9 o'clock this morning in the police court before Civil and Police Justice Frederick G. Duvall was postponed till the morning of March 2.

The postponement was granted at the request of Attorney Edmund Burke, representing the defendant. Just before brief arguments had been concluded asking for a postponement Mrs. Baggett, who occupied a seat in the court, swooned. She was carried from the courtroom to the anti room by her brother, Charles Nowland and a policeman. She soon revived.

When the case was called the courtroom was comfortably filled with spectators. Attorney Burke explained to the court that important witnesses were not present and that one of the papers in the case is missing from the office of the clerk of the court and that certain records in Washington are necessary and he also informed the court that Attorney Carl Budwesky, an important witness, was today at Spottsylvania Courthouse. Mr. Burke added that he could not go into the trial without these records or witnesses.

Attorney Frank Stuart, who represents Wright, the latter being the prosecuting witness, objected to such a long postponement. Mr. Stuart started to tell the court that he had been refused certain papers in the case of Wright against Wright. The clerk informed him he stated that an order had been entered prohibiting him from getting any papers from the clerk's office unless he had an order signed by the court. Justice Duvall declared he had nothing to do with this matter.

A continuation of ten days was then asked for by Mr. Burke and Attorney Stuart suggested hearing the case next Monday or Tuesday Mr. Burke said that this would not give him sufficient time to complete his case. Both attorneys being unable to reach an agreement the court fixed upon March 2 for the hearing.

MASS MEETING FRIDAY

Representative Reed and Dr. E. E. Dudding to Speak For Prisoners' Relief

Plans have been completed for a big mass meeting which will be held Friday night in the Chamber of Commerce under the auspices of the Prisoners' Relief Society. At this meeting addresses will be made by Representative Reed of West Virginia, former Secretary of State of West Virginia, and Dr. E. E. Dudding, president of the Prisoners' Relief Society. Both men and women are invited to attend this meeting and hear the speakers tell of the purposes and aims of this society. The arrangements for the meeting are in charge of Mrs. A. C. Smythe, local representative.

FOES CRITICIZE HARDING REPLY ON THE TREATY

Both Sides Voice Displeasure at Attitude on Pacific Question

WAIT FOR HUGHES

Agreement on Island of Yap Favorably Reported by Vote of Ten to One.

Washington, Feb. 21.—Republican and Democratic opponents of the Pacific Four-Power Treaty voiced their displeasure when President Harding informed the Senate yesterday that he could not comply with the request made for additional records covering the negotiations of that pact.

President Harding said it was "literally impossible" for him to send the requested records because no such records ever existed and because he considered it incompatible with the public interest to reveal "informal and confidential conversation."

When Secretary Hughes returns from Bermuda it is the purpose of the Senate Committee to quiz him regarding these secret sessions.

Mr. Harding's reply to the Four-Power treaty resolution, which has been introduced by Senator Hitchcock, of Nebraska, senior Democratic member of the committee, follows:

Responsive to Senate Resolutions No. 237, asking for records, minutes, arguments, debates, conversations, etc., relating to the so-called Four-Power treaty, I have to advise that it is impossible to comply with the Senate's request. Many of the things asked for in the resolution it is literally impossibe to furnish because there were many conversations and discussions quite outside the Conference, yet vital to its success. Naturally these are without record.

I do not believe it to be compatible with public interests or consistent with the amenities of international negotiations to attempt to reveal informal and confidential conversations or discussions of which no record was kept or to submit tentative suggestions or informal proposals without which the arrival at desirable international understandings would be rendered unlikely if not impossible.

While I am unable to transmit the information requested, I do, however, take this opportunity to say most emphatically that there were no concealed understandings and no secret exchanges of notes, and there are no commitments whatever, except as appear in the Four-Power treaty itself and the supplementary agreement, which are now in the hands of the Senate.

Before leaving for Omaha last night Senator Hitchcock said he did not think the Foreign Relations Committee would act on the Pacific treaty until Secretary Hughes has been heard. He declared "absolutely necessary" the appearance of Mr. Hughes to tell what he knew of the conversations which took place at unrecorded meetings of the "Big Four."

By a vote of 10 to 1, Senator Pittman, Democrat, Nevada, opposing, the committee reported favorably the treaty ending the controversy between the United States and Japan over the Island of Yap. Senator Lodge said he would ask for immediate consideration in the Senate and debate may begin today or tomorrow.

Committee debate on the Yap treaty is said to have centered about the possible legal effect of recognition of the Japanese mandate over the island and the likelihood that any question arising under the treaty in the future would have to be referred to the four great powers under the Four-Power arrangement in the Pacific.

It was said that several of those who voted for a favorable report had not yet made up their minds whether they would vote for ratification.

Senator Johnson of California, in a formal statement, said it was remarkable and unfortunate that the President was unable to give any further information relative to the Four-Power agreement. He observed that the communiques of the Conference had covered much less important matters. "One might read," he said, "that Mr. So and So advised the committee and had the honor to say so and so, or that Mr. Blank made report, but not a word about the Four-Power treaty."

The information regarding the making of the "quadruple Alliance that supersedes the Anglo-Japanese Alliance," said Senator Johnson, "is necessary that the Senate may act intelligently on the treaty. It is most unfortunate that it is not forthcoming."

The Senate, said Senator Johnson, had nothing before it except the bare treaty "and the brilliant prose poem of Senator Lodge and the general report of the head of the American delegation. Open and simple diplomacy has given us everything dealt with by the Conference except the all-important Four-Power treaty."

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CHERRY DAY

Tomorrow is Cherry Day. This memorable day is the anniversary of the birth of the immortal Washington, as well. Six years ago the Playground Association fixed upon this day for observance as "Cherry Day," the artificial fruit to be sold to the public and the proceeds utilized for the public playgrounds of Alexandria. Totomorrow the offices of Graham and Ogden, on King street, will be turned over to the charming maidens and matrons who are lending their services for the occasion, and it is hoped that large numbers of our citizens will contribute to one of the city's worthiest activities.

It will be remembered that so hard-headed a business man as Mr. Feldtkeller recently said in The Gazette, in an interview, that he ranked our public playgrounds as perhaps the most important item in The Gazette's famous fourteen points that head its editorial columns daily. Let every inhabitant buy a cherry tomorrow and help the good cause.

OUR DIATRIBE

We publish elsewhere today a letter from Mr. A. J. Rhodes, anent our remarks on the society recently formed in Washington for the investigation of the authorship of Shakespeare. We dare not say "our editorial," but cheerfully accept Mr. Rhodes' nomenclature, and call it, with him, "*our diatribe.*" We also accept his kindly remarks as to a "little learning." It is truly dangerous when the scholar is abroad in the land seeking whom he may devour. But we may be permitted to retort that much learning maketh a man mad, as in this cruel instance! We hope, however, that our esteemed correspondent may quickly recover of his madness, and look more charitably upon diatribes of little learning!

We venture, albeit with much hesitancy and trepidation, to differ with our critic, and to express our very humble opinion that "Richard the Third's wooing of the wife of a king, murdered by Richard, while she was escorting the body of her husband to its burial place" may not be incompatible with Shakespeare's "grand nature." We fail to see what his "grand nature" — we confess frankly to a dislike of the adjective—has to do with Richard the Third; it was not Shakespeare who did the wooing, but one of the crookedest of hunch-backed villains in history. Shakespeare is supreme in that he never discloses his own thoughts or sympathies or views. This is why, beyond all other men, he holds the mirror up to Nature, and why the world of beings he has created approaches nearest in its truth and majesty of conception the actual world of human beings.

We regret we have not more space to devote to this delightful little controversy.

But we still have hopes of pardon, when we repeat that our letter-writer has missed the kernel and attacked the shell!

COMMUNICATIONS

Aexandria, Virginia,
February 17, 1922.

Editor of Alexandria Gazette,
Dear Sir:
City.

My attention has been called to an editorial in your issue of January 28th, headed "New Washington Fad."

The Diatribe deals with the proposed program of several Shakespearean scholars in the District of Columbia concerning an attempt to decide just which plays or portions of plays accredited to Shakespeare were really written by him.

Had the editorial concluded with the questions, "To what end?' For what purpose?, What matters it who wrote them?," I would have heartily agreed with the editor, but the continuation of the article serves to give weight to the old adage, "A little learning is a dangerous thing."

Being interested in Shakespeare myself and having a personal acquaintance with some of the students in questions together with their motives, I wish to state that not one of them looks upon Shakespeare in the light of an "ignorant plagiarist." Indeed, their opinions of Shakespeare are quite the reverse.

The contention is that Shakespeare possessed too grand a nature to permit the writing, for instance, such a scene as Richard the Third's wooing of the wife of a king, murdered by Richard, while she was escorting the body of her husband to its burlai place.

It is not my desire to enter into any argument concerning the authorship of this and other plays, but rather to attempt to show that this editorial "All of which is respectfully submitted to the learned scholars of Washington who apparently attack the shell but miss the kernel," is somewhat misdirected.

Very truly yours,
A. J. RHODES.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY

George Washington, first president of the United States, was born at Bridges Creek, in Westmoreland Co., Virginia February 22, 1732, and died at Mount Vernon, Va., December 14, 1799.

At the age of sixteen years Washington was commissioned by Lord Fairfax to survey the valley of Virginia. This led to the military service which fitted him for commander in chief of the Colonial forces in the Revolutionary War.

In 1759 Washington married Martha Curtis, a wealthy widow, and their combined estates made him one of the richest men in the colonies.

As Virginia's representative in the first and second continental congresses, Washington became a leader in the movement for insistence upon justice to the colonies, He also was the only American soldier of national reputation and was the immediate and unanimous choice of the congress for commander-in-chief.

At the conclusion of the Revolutionary War, when the colonies' independence was acknowledged, a movement was begun to make Washington ruler of the country, and his consent would have made him king. Returning to Mount Vernon, he gave his attention to assisting in forming a constiutional government.

Washington was the only president who might have succeeded himself for a third term. He blocked his friends' efforts by refusing to accept the nomination the third time.

Washington's birthday is a legal business holiday in every state. Patriotic exercises in the public schools have been the rule for many years with a view to advancing the ideals of life that made the "Father of His Country' the greatest American.

Washington died on the last day of the week, at the last hour of the day and in the last month of the year in the last year of the century.

Washington monument, a nation's memorial in the capital city, begun in 1848 and completed in 1884, is 555 feet high, has an area at the base of 16,000 feet and a weight of 36,912 gross tons. It cost $1,187,710.

MASONIC TEMPLE PLANS ADOPTED

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The dimensions of the building over all will be one hundred and sixty feet in width by two hundred and thirty feet in depth, exclusive of steps, terraces and approaches. Its height to the summit of the covered observation platform, will be two hundred feet.

The very heart and center of the building will be a great atrium, seventy feet wide by one hundred feet deep, which will form a Memorial Hall in which will be set a statue of George Washington, the memorial itself. This great hall will be sixty-four feet in height, rising by a clere story above the surrounding portion of the building. Enviroining the great center Memorial Hall will be a number of rooms dedicated to the use of Masonic interests where in every Masonic organization in the United States may have space presentation.

Rising above the great Memorial Hall and forming the second story of the tower will be a museum. Relics of George Washington which are now in the possession of Alexandria Lodge and the many memorabilia that may be gathered in the future. The George Washington Memorial Museum will be fifty by seventy-five feet, with lofty ceiling and fine light. It will be reached both by stairs and elevator.

The third level which is above the museum will be future assignment Above will be a covered observation platform. The three levels will be screened by stately colonnades, all of which will form a great tower, inspired by classic towers that guided the Mariners of Old. Broad steps and terraces leading up to the main entrance will add to the imposing effect of the George Washington Masonic Memorial."

Members of the association tonight will attend a stated communication of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons in the Elks' lodge room tonight and witness the exemplification of the Master Mason degree.

The association will reconvene at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning. At 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon the visitors will make a pilgrimage to Mt. Vernon and place a wreath on Washington's tomb and at night they will attend the annual birthday of the local lodge which will be held in the lodge room of Alexandria Lodge of Elks.

The list of delegates attending the convention follows:

Omar B. Smith, grand master Indiana; Charles H. Ketchum, grand master of Florida; Charles A. Bambeyer, grand master of Delaware; Harry M. Lowe, grand chapter Delaware; Thomas J. Day, past grand master Delaware; H. W. Bentley, past council, Delaware; Jam D. Hamrick, deputy grand master, Georgia; J. B. Rendall, representing the grand lodge of Iowa; William W. Galt, past grand master of the grand lodge of Virginia; O. H. Lucas, grand lodge of Missouri; Alfred E. Lister, grand commander, Knights Templar, Pennsylvania; Hubert McNeil Poteat, deputy grand master, North Carolina; Chester A. Gwinn, grand commander, Knights Templar of Virginia; John Gifford, grand master, Washington; Julian F. Spearman, grand master, Alabama; Hessiah G. Earnest, Montgomery, Ala.; Robert E. Evans, past grand master, Dakota city, Nebraska; Townsena Scudder, past grand master, New York; R. R. Creiger, past grand master, Missouri; Owen Scott, grand secretary Decatur, Ill.; Harry G. Noyes, past grand master, New Hampshire; Samuel M. Goodyear, deputy grand master Pennsylvania; William H. Scott, past grand master, Rhode Island; D. F. Johnson, grand master of Texas, Brownwood; W. L. Stockwell, grand secretary, Fargo, North Dakota; George Lawler, past grand master, Takoma, Wash.; Joseph Lawton, grand master, Providence, Rhode Island; W. C. Prince, representing England, New York City; Charles B. Burleigh, Massachusetts; James B. Wood, past grand master, Charlottesville, Va.; Donald E. Spears, past grand master, grand council of Rhode Island; Henry C. Smith, grand master of Montana; E. M. Hutchison, past grand master, Whitefish, Montana; Isaac Cherry, grand secretary, Thompson, N. J.; Richard C. Woodward, past grand high priest, New Jersey; W. M. David, past grand master, Nevada; George C. Mason, State chairman, Nebraska; Howard K. DeWolf, deputy grand high priest, Rhode Island; Geo. Pettigrew, grand secretary, South Dakota; Frederick W. Hardwick, grand master of Kentucky; Thomas McKensie, state chairman, Connecticut; L. J. Nickerson, past grand master, Connecticut; Frank T. Wildar, grand master, Connecticut; Geo. T. Bryan, past grand master, South Carolina; T. E. Harrison, past grand master, South Carolina; Walter G. Afrier,

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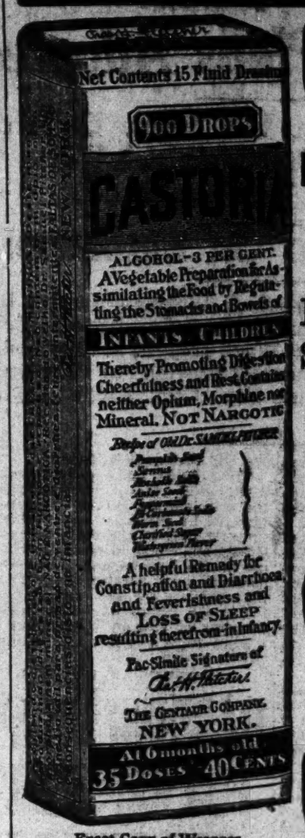

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Mr. and Mrs William H. Meeks announce the birth of a son at the Alexandria Hospital last night.

Woman's Missionary Society of M. E. Church South will hold their regular monthly meeting tomorrow, at 2 p. m.

The schools will be closed tomorrow in accordance with the usual custom, and will re-open on Thursday.

The many friends of Miss Mary Coombs will regret to learn of her being quite ill with the grippe at her home in Wolfe street.

The regular weekly meeting of Oriental Lodge, No. 6, Knights of Pythias, will be held in Pythian Temple this evening.

Hester Carter, an aged and respected colored woman, was stricken with paralysis this morning. Her condition is reported to be quite serious.

The Friends' Athletic Club of this city will meet the team of the Langdon A. C. in the Armory Hall Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock.

The old custom of having a parade on Washington's Birthday will be revived tomorrow as will be seen in other columns of today's paper.

Many of the stores will be closed all day tomorrow and others will remain open until noon on account of the holiday.

Mooseheart Endowment Ball will be given by Virginia Lodge No. 1076 Loyal Order of Moose in McBurney's Hall tomorrow night at 8:30 o'clock.

The Longfellow Glee Club has announced that it will hold a dance in Odd Fellows' Hall North Columbus street, on Monday, February 27. One of the best Washington orchestras will furnish the music.

At the Richmond "The Little Minister" will again be shown today. The Ingomar presents Conway Tearle in "The Man of Stone." The Idle Hour has "The Witching Hour," one of the pictures which was directed by the late William Desmond Taylor.

The regular meeting of Motor Company No 5 will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock in its engine house Business of importance is to be brought before the company and it is hoped that all members will be able to attend.

A dance is to be given in Odd Fellows Hall on the night of February 23 by the Canton Lodge. A well known orchestra has been secured for the occasion and the members feel assured of an enjoyable evening.

Osceola Tribe No. 1, Red Men, will hold their regular meeting in their wigwam tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock. There will be some very prominent speakers present and all Red Men are cordially invited to be there.

The people of Alexandria in general are cordially invited to hear Representativ R. Walton Moore tomorrow evening at the Lyceum Hall where he will deliver a patriotic address at the Knights of Columbus clebration of Washington's Birthday.

The Acleco Club of the Alexandria County Lighting Co., will hold its regular monthly meeting at 7:30 o'clock this evening in the company's offices. Immediately following there will be a social and all members are urged to be present.

The Post Office officials have announced that that office will be closed all day tomorrow, Wednesday, February 22, on account of the holiday. There will be no deliveries by the carriers but the regular afternoon collections will be made.

The Last Lap made its appearance again yesterday, this time in a reduced size and carrying an advertisements. This little newspaper has made rapid progress since its first appearance last year. If its High School news it has it, is what its editors say about it.

The Playground Committee requests that all young ladies who have consented and who will sell cherries tomorrow for the benefit of the Playgrounds, to meet at Graham and Ogden's tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock The services of volunteers will be greatly appreciated.

The Junior Class of the Alexandria High School will entertain the Senior Class at the annual reception in the High School Auditorium on Friday evening, February 24. It is understood that one of Washington's best orchestras has been employed to furnish the music. The Seniors have already this year been tendered receptions by the Freshman and Sophomore Classes.

The Colonial Costume Ball to be given under the auspices of Mt. Vernon Chapter, D. A. R., in Elks' Hall tomorrow night, promises to be one of the main attractions for the evening of the holiday. All who attend this ball will be expected to wear clothes of Colonial design, but it will not be required. The affair will be unique in that it will express the old and the new in both the dancing and music

The Gazette acknowledges with pleasure the receipt of a photograph of the Remington-Burrnelli air liner, which is said to be the largest aeroplane in the world It has a cabin 14 feet wide and a carrying capacity of 36 passengers. The photograph was presented with the compliments of E. B. Emerson of the U. S. Air Mail Service, who is stationed at Hazelhurst Field, Hempstead, L. I. He leaves today for his station after having spent the past few days as the guest of his brother, C. O. Emerson, in North Royal street

It was erroneously stated in yesterday's Gazette that both the Alexandria High School basket ball teams would go to Fredericksburg to play tonight The girls' team will go, but the boys' team will not. This afternoon the boys entered the South Atlantic Championship tournament which is being held in the Coliseum under the direction of George Washington University. The Alexandria boys will meet the team of Eastern High this afternoon.

Immanuel Lutheran Church will hold a special service on the second Sunday in March after the completion of the painting and decorating for which purpose a drive is now being made in the congregation of the interior of the chruch. This special service is to be one of thanksgiving and praise. The pastor, the Rev Carl J. Goette, announces that for the occasion a former pastor and friend, the Rev. J. A. Schway has been invited. The members are looking forward to the occasion with a great deal of pleasure.

NEWS IN THE GAZETTE 108 Years Ago

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PICTURE OF THE TIMES

Parents and Masters of families destitute of employment, with meagre and dejected countenances—Ragged and half starved children. Fat officers and meagre soldiers stalking through the country, annoying the inhabitants whom they are bound to protect, and violating the laws of decency. Ships of the civil authority, as well as commerce dismantling and rotting at the wharves and hauled up into coves—Pimps and spies of the customs running their noses into their neighbor's barns, stables, warehouses, and other necessary appurtenances. Watered rum, sanded sugar, and other adulterated mixtures, selling at the highest licenced prices —Ginger bread and crackers, about half their ordinary weight and size, made of country flour and indian meal, mixed together!

Discuss Bond Issue

Arlington County Residents Consider Five Million Issue for Sewerage and Water

Clarendon, Va., Feb. 21.—$50,000 bond issue for furnishing sewerage and water to Arlington County, provided for in the new sanitary bill, was the subject of a special meeting of the Clarendon Citizens' Association last night.

The bill pending before the Virginia legislature, and is assured of passage, officers of the association stated. Under the bill the entire county will be furnished sewerage and water, subject to referendum in sparsely settled sections.

The following committee was appointed to go to Richmond Thursday to advocate a mending the bill to permit laying of mains by the county engineers A. P. Payne, chairman; J. Thomas Manning, F. L. Sharp, William B. Stuart and C. R. Taylor.

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To Organize Girl Scouts

Meeting to be Held Tonight at Methodist Protestant Church

The pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church desires to meet all girls belonging to this church between the ages of 10 and 20 years at 7:30 this evening in the Sunday School room of the church for the purpose of organizing them into Troops which will be known as the Girl Scouts of the Methodist Protestant Church Our Boy Scout Organization is growing rapidly under the efficient leadership of our Scout Master, Mr. Paul O. Weirbach, late sergeant in the United States Army. Our next problem will be how and where to find a hall large enough for our boys to meet and drill in. Our boys meet every Friday evening at 7:00 o'clock in the Sunday School room of the church. The girls will meet on Tuesday evening at 7:30.

We invite all boys and girls not connected with any other Sunday School or church to join along with this live bunch of boys and girls and have a good time. The Girl Scouts will be under the direction of Mr. Norman Roberts and Mr. Howard W. Arnold.

The pastor,Rev. Robert Browne, is very anxious that the physical development of our young people will not be neglected.

Capt. W. W. Dempsey Dies

News has been received in this city of the death of Capt. William Worth Dempsey, U. S. A., which occurred in Los Angeles, Cal., yesterday. The deceased had been in failing health for the past two years. He was a son of Col. Charles A. Dempsey, U. S. A., retired and nephew of Phineas J. Dempsey of this city. The deceased was well known in this city where he had spent a good deal of time in recent years.

Lightning purifies the atmosphere by producing nitric acid, which destroys noxious exhalations held in suspense in the air.

Bible Thought for Today

Righteousness exalteth a nation: but sin is a reproach to any people.—Proverbs 14:34.

SUES FOR $100,000

Mrs. Alma C. Smythe of Alexandria Sues Former Secretary for Penrose

Leighton Taylor, of Wardman Park Inn, Washington, former private secretary to the late Senator Boies Penrose, of Pennsylvania, was sued yesterday in the District of Columbia Supreme Court for $100,000 damages by Mrs. Alma C. Smythe, of Alexandria, Va., for an alleged assault and battery.

Mrs. Smythe alleges that on May 1 last she went to the Capitol to see Senator Penrose about a position and was seized by Taylor and hugged and kissed against her will. Since then, she claims, she has been hounded by a Mr. Bowling, of the Department of Justice, who tried to get her to leave the city, and was further annoyed, she declares, by a Mr. Keck, of the "Secret Service, Metropolitan police department," whom she charged with attempting to get her back to Washington for the purpose of placing her in the Government Hospital for the Insane.

The suit was filed by Oscar C. Thomas, of this city, who represents Mrs. Smythe Mrs. Smythe for several weeks past has been making her home in Alexandria.

MASONIC TEMPLE PLANS ADOPTED

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grand master, New Hampshire; Walter Osgood Scott, Providence, Rhode Island; Robert P. Anderson, grand master, Port Huron, Mich.; James E. Lillon, past grand master, East Tawas, Mich.; Geo. L. Lusk, past grand master, Bay City, Mich.; G. Roscoe Swift, past grand master, Adrian, Mich.; Robert T. Ward. grand high priest, Alabama; Wm. F. Bower, past grand Commander, Augusta, Ga.; A. C. Wherry, past grand master, Salt Lake City, Utah; W. C. Jordan, grand high priest, Athens, Ga.; J. H. Swan, past grand high priest, Bristol, Tenn.; W. W. Wilson, grand secretary, Raleigh, N. C.; Wacker M. Taylor, grand master, Memphis, Tenn.; W. B. McChesney, past grand master, Virginia; Charles Comstock. P. G. Master, Memphis, Tenn.; George L. Schoonover, P. Grand Master, Iowa; Wm Booth Price, State Chairman, Maryland; George M. Napier. P. Grand Master, Ga.; Charles E. Baldwin, P. Grand Master, D. C.; Joe. P Bowdoin. Grand Master. Adairsville, Ga.; Frederick W. Hamilton, Gen. Sec. Boston, Mass.; Hubert C. Rovick, P Grand Master, New Jersey; John T. Cochran, P. G. H. Priest. Va.; Wm. Chapman, G. H. P. G R. A. Chapter. Va.; George A. Beauchamp, Grand Sec. and Grand Rep., Alabama; Samuel T. Spears, Grand Master, West Va.; John M Collins, Grand Sec. and P. G. M., West Va.; L. E. Smith, State Chairman, West Va.; William P Freeman, McAlister, Oklahoma; Warren S. Seipp. Grand Master, Maryland; H. E. Byorum, Grand Master, Minot, N. D.; W. A. Westfall, P. G. M., Mason City, Iowa; Arthur Patterson, D. G. M. New Jersey; Cooper H. Pinkitt, past grand master, New Jersey; M. J Hull, past grand master, Nebraska; T. John Newton, past grand master, District of Columbia; Charles H. Burns, past grand master, grand council of Maryland; Frank C. Sayre, senior grand warden, New Jersey; Andrew Fall, Jr., junior grand warden, New Jersey Perry W. Widner, secretary general, California; C E. Rosenbaum, past grand master. Little Rock, Arkansas; Herman Held, grand master, Minnesota; George Fleming Moore past grand master, Alabama.

Alexandria As She Is

I. M. Muddy in his squib
For Friday last's Gazette,
Did intimate that this old town,
In spots, is somewhat wet.
Not in the anti-Volstead sense—
That men are peddling booze,
But wet from rain and snowy slush,
And waste pipe's filthy ooze.

"Ye scribe" went out to prove that M.
Had grossly fabricated,
When he affirmed that some the streets
Could not be navigated;
But his attempt to navigate
The streets, of which M. wrote,
Proved almost futile for he had
No rubber boots—nor boat.

Now I. M. put it rather strong,
On some points that he made;
But 'tis a fact, to reach his home
One surely has to wade.
He occupies a passing neat
And "comfy" little cot:
But 'round about it surely is
All but a beauty spot.

If our good map is somewhat marred
By these unsightly blots,
Let's go to work, now. one and all,
And make them "Beauty Spots:";
Not shut our eyes, as "Booster"(?) does,
Nor whine, as whineth he,
"Alexandria, as she is,
Is good enough for me."

Alexandria as she is
Is good enough for me"
Has been such boosters' little song
For generations, three.
So for "Booster" and his band
The following song is writ,
To the tune "Old Time Religion,"
The words are made to fit.

It may seem good for Booster's bunch
For al lhis kith and kin,

BIG GAME

A. L. I., Will Face Champion Yankee Team From Washington

The Alexandria Light Infantry Five will oppose one of the best basketball teams in the country Saturday night, February 25th, by the name of Yankees, champions of the District. This five which needs no introduction has defeated some of the best teams in the country, and also a week ago defeated the A. L. I., by 15 points. This hasn't discouraged the local boys at all, for they are coming back strong in Saturday night's engagement at the Armory. The soldiers' team will be in first class shape for this game, and are determined to force the Yankees to the limit in this battle

One of the largest crowds that ever witnessed a game of basketball is expected to throng the Armory for this game.

Two of Washington's best officials will handle this game, Messrs. Fitzgerald and Nugent.

Wednesday night the A. L. I., will meet the Camp Humphries five, game starting at 8:15. The team has been picked from the entire camp, and it is claimed to be one of the best teams that ever representd Camp Humphreys. The soldiers scheduled this hard game to help put them in shape for the big game Saturday against the Yankees.

TO REGULATE MOVIES

The congregation of the First Baptist Church has addressed the following letter to Delegate Charles Henry Smith:

At a congregational meeting of the First Baptist Church, Alexandria, Virginia, it was unanimouslv voted to approve Senate Bill No. 218.

C. M. Wells, Church Clerk.
Rev. E. B. Jackson, Pastor.

To take the city as she is—
Just as for years she's been;
But I, M. Muddy and his crowd
Do all just now aspire
To see the city modernized
And lifted from the mire.

They'll see it, too, for they've a will
To work as well as pray.
"The town suits us, just as she is,"
You'll never hear them say. .....
—C. M. H.

DIED

STRANGE—Rev. Jacqulyn Strange, the father of John E. Strange, and Letitia Diggs, departed this life February 20th, 1922, at 8:15 a. m. Funeral service at Roberts' Chapel M. E. Church, Thursday, February 23rd, at 2 p. m Relatives and friends invited. 44-1p.

NOTICE

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Size No. 3 per Section.	90.00
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REPLY BY DR. MORTON

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emphasized the need of an awakening, and the formation of a righteous and determined attitude which would banish the evil from our midst. I avoided all personalities, and neither defended nor condemned individuals who have been so severely criticized by your paper. I referred to the fact that a committee had been appointed by the Alexandria Bar Association and in the most vigorous language expressed what I believed to be the duty of this committee, to go thoroughly into the charges which had been made, and without fear or favor to take such steps as were necessary to fix the responsibility on any or all guilty parties, and put a stop to the divorce scandal in Alexandria.

In regard to your statement that—"So incensed were certain members of his congregation at his remarks that some of them left the church during his discourse," I wish to say that standing in the high pulpit I was in a position to see any persons who might leave the church during my sermon, and I only saw one person who was guilty of this discourtesy, and he was the one who Mr. Cobb afterwards admitted to me was his informant as to the defense I had made of Judge Moncure. To which I can only add that as this gentheman saw fit to leave at the very beginning of my treatment of Public Opinion as it applied to the divorce evil, he was hardly the proper one to give an accurate report on my treatment of that subject. From many others who heard the sermon through I have had the strongest words of appreciation, and most favorable comments on the fairness and firmness with which I dealt with the whole subject.

Your reference to my relationship by marriage to Judge Moncure is uncalled for and ungenerous. I have not been swayed by that consideration one jot on tittle from what I thought was the right in this matter. But I may add in this connection that the Moncure family has furnished six judges to the bench of Virginia and other states, and if it should in the future be proven that the judge of our corporation court is unworthy, he will be the first of his family to dishonor the bench It is only fairness to him and to his family to refrain from final judgment until all the evidence is in, and his side of the case has not as yet been presented.

As my subject had been announced beforehand, no doubt some came expecting to hear an excoriation of the "Divorce Ring", and when they heard instead a fair and constructive discussion looking to a real betterment of all our city conditions they were disappointed. Such a feeling was perhaps natural to such persons, and I suggest that they seek relief for their cravings in the perusal of such sensational journals as yours.

The duty of the Christian Church and the Christian ministry as I conceive that duty, is to preach and practice truth, justice, goodness, right principles and high ideals. I have never, and never shall, in my preaching, descended to vituperation and abuse or low personalities. Persons who are desirous of hearing such discourses will always be disappointed when they attend sedvices in my church. In the future, as in the past, I shall endeavor to preach the whole truth as I see the truth, unbiased by selfish motives or prejudiced considerations, and I shall apply Christian principles to all problems according to the leading of my own mind and conscience, and I shall not fear the consequences.

Respectfully yours,
Rector of Christ Church, Alexandria, Va.

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We see the truth of this statement in the varicolored flowers, the vivid sunset, the birds of brilliant plumage. But we never see it exemplified more attractively than in the person of a splendidly healthy woman. How does nature paint this health? Why, in the rosy cheeks, the transparent skin, the smooth red lips of such a woman. And she molds it in firm flesh and rounded contours. The ailing woman is deficient in natural coloring, and she does not even appear to advantage in clothes that would set off her more attractive sister. Many women who long for glowing health will find that they, too, can have these charms if they will give a trial to that remedy which brings strength to frail women—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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LIVE NEWS from ROSEMONT DEL RAY BRADDOCK MT. IDA ST. ELMO.

Miss Mattie Lickey and Mrs. Stevens are quite ill at their homes in St. Elmo.

Mrs. R. B. Adams of Rosemont, left yesterday for a weeks visit to relatives in Richmond and Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Astryke, of Mt. Ida, are visiting friends in Baltimore for a few days.

Mr. James Kennedy is quite ill at his home on Raymond Avenue, St. Elmo.

Mr. Edgar Dare was home from the University of Virginia for the week end with his parents in Rosemont.

Mrs. George W. Keys, of Rosemont, is in Charleston, W. Va., to spend a month with her sister.

Eugene and Janice, the two small children of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest R. Feagan, are very ill at their home in Del Ray.

Miss Ella McAllister, from Washington, was the week end guest of Miss Edith Garrett, in St. Elmo.

Mrs. William S. Snow, of Rosemont, has recovered from a severe attack of grippe and is getting out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Moore, of Alexandria, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julian Barklay in St. Elmo.

Miss Catharine Murphy who was extremely ill at her home on Raymond Avenue, St. Elmo, last week, is very much better today.

Midweek prayer service of the M. E. Church, Del Ray, will be held on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Aubrey V. Brown entertained a few friends at "luncheon" Sunday, in her home on Windsor Avenue, Del Ray.

From the "Teacherage" at Lloyd, Miss Hall went to Baltimore, and Miss Burton to Washington for the week end. Miss MacDaniel also spent Sunday in Washington.

Mrs. Harry L. Wolgamot has returned from the Alexandria Hospital to her home in Del Ray, and is progressing nicely towards recovery from her operation.

The girls' basketball team from George Mason High School played the Manassas High School team at Armory Hall Saturday night, and lost the game to their visitors, the score being 23 to 9.

February 19 to 26 has been designated by the Baltimore Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, as "pay up" week on the Centenary Pledges. If you don't receive your statement see Mr J. E. Cassedy, of northeast Braddock.

Miss Eugenia Tolliver, of Rich-Richmond, was the guest of Mrs. R. E. Acton, in Rosemont, last week, and left Saturday for a short visit in Washington after which she will return to Rosemont to complete her visit.

Miss Mary Barbour was at home in Del Ray over the week end and returned yesterday to her duties as teacher in one of the schools near Lynchburg. On Sunday, Miss Barbour entertained at little "luncheon" for the Misses Josephine Shuster, Ruth Rowe, Elizabeth Varney and Frances Spencer.

The ladies of the Baptist "Aid" are still hoping to recover the three large table cloths which were lost last Thursday night somewhere between Rowzie's store, St. Elmo and ford Avenue, Del Ray. They were lost coming from the Oyster Supper, and anyone knowing anything about the cloths will plsase communicate with Mrs. George Zachary, or Mrs Geo. McCauley.

Mr and Mrs. John G. Graham are entertaining Mr. Charles Herbert Burns, grand lecturer of the grand lodge of Masons of the state of Maryland. Mr. Burns is here to attend the convention of the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association which is being held in Alexandria today and tomorrow.

Mr. Hugh Evans, from Leonia, N. J., is spending the rest of the winter in the home of his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Evans, on Windsor Avenue, Del Ray. Mr. Evans' sister, Mrs Fred Boris and small daughter, Madeline, have just returned to Leonia after visiting here for a week.

Charles Edward, 27 months old, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Williams, of Howell Avenue, Del Ray, was one of the winners in the baby contest at the Bazaar in Elks Hall last week. The youngster weighs forty-two pounds and was awarded the second prize, a sterling silver knife, fork and spoon set.

A number of Del Ray Methodist young people are attending the sessions of the State Sunday School Association in Charlottesville today and tomorrow. Mrs. D. C. Chambers is the delegate from Del Ray Sunday School also from the Young Peoples department of Arlington county. Mr. George Carr has the distinction of being a special representative from the "Yates Class," and of making a three minute speech telling of the aims and activities of that class; he will be the only speaker on the program except the "professionals." Others attending from Del Ray, are, Miss Edith Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Spivey, Mr. and Mrs. Sansbury, Mrs. Carroll F. Kines and Mr Donald Morgan.

In spite of slippery walks and the bitter cold of last Friday night, a good sized audience enjoyed every number of the "Concert" by pupils of the "Yates Class." Mr. Sylvan Felter, a member of the class, with three other musicians from "Felters (Washington) Orchestra" delighted the audience with music of an exceptionally fine quality and "pep" and were most generous about the quantity, as they rendered their muisc throughout the program. The "Class" numbering between thirty and forty young folks, married and single, presented a fine and attractive appearance in their choruses,

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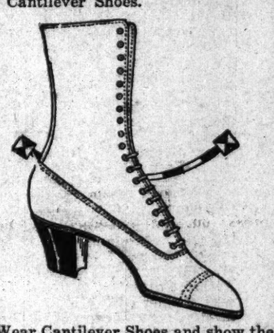

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HARDING PLAN FOR REFORM IS BEING HELD UP

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personal relationships to be considered, the New Cabinet group had no entangling alliances and could sit judicially upon each proposal affecting his department that might be made.

But there was delay. The President waited for Congress to act and Congress waited for the President to act. Eventually a joint commission was created, composed of a chairman to be named by the President and his associates to be appointed by the Vice President and the Speaker of the House, from Senate and House membership.

Walter F. Brown, of Ohio, was the President's choice for the chairmanship. He was named, came to Washington in the course of time and began to transact business. Weeks lengthened into months, and still no report. Meanwhile, Mr. Brown was compelled to divide his time between Washington and Toledo, where he lives.

LIVE NEWS

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"Missouri Waltz" and "Dixie Medley." The two little, one act plays, "Reading a Letter" and "The Mouse Trap" were bright and very well presented. The vocal solo, "Granny" by Miss Nellie Carr with interpretation by Miss Maud Studds, as "Granny" was fine. Also "Carry Me Back To Old Virginny" delightfully sung by Mr. George Carr and interpreted by Mr. Carrol F. Kines, who in his make up was admirable as an "honest to goodness" old time negro. Mrs. Sansbury's monologue, "Her First Piece," with encore entitled "Renting a Room" delighted the youngsters as well as the adult part of the audience. Mr. George Carr responded to several encores, and sang wonderfully wll "Encouragement" a recitation and negro impersonations by Mrs. R. J. Yates and Mr. Carroll F. Kines had the audience in great glee, while Mr. Duncan Thompson called the "Harry Lauder" of the class, in his real scotch costume of "kilts 'n everything" sang his Scotch songs and danced his way to the hearts of everyone and responded time and again to their demands for more. Then came Mr. Thomas Theimer, "Tommy Theimer," as an Irish lad, with a wealth of humorous selections, mostly original and all so good that only the splendid appearance of the "class" as they came on for their chorus and the closing number on the program, reconciled the audience to letting "Tommy" go.

Everyone felt that they had received wonderful value for their money, and laughs that will be remembered for some time to come. And it was all "home talent," class talent, with the exception of the three musicians from Washington.

Mildred L. Emerson,
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In deepest gratitude we take this opportunity of thanking our many friends and neighbors for the very kind and sympathetic manner in which they came to our relief in our late bereavement for the many beautiful flowers and many other expressions of love and esteem for our lost one. For those tokens of your love and sympathy, we are unable to express our appreciation in mere words, but thank you every one from the bottom of our hearts.
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Norfolk—Physicians are keenly interested in the sessions of the Tri-State Medical Association of the Carolinas and Virginia, which will hold its twenty-fourth annual convention in the Naval Y. M. C. A., Norfolk, Tuesday and Wednesday. The Monticello Hotel will be headquarters, and while the assembly rooms in this hotel had been engaged for the meetings, the association relinquished it when it became known that the city had invited the Virginia Legislature on Washington's Birthday and would want the Monticello for the entertainment of the visitors.

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Fomer Headquarters For English New Irish Stronghold

A company of Irish Republican troops has taken over the Beggars Bush Barracks, in Dublin, former headquarters of the Auxiliary Police, amid scenes of great enthusiasm. At the left is shown Minister of Defense Richard Mulcahy, formerly Chief of Staff, presenting the Republican colors to Captain O'Day, on the right. Behind Mulcahy is Kevin O'Duffy, the new Chief of Staff, in civilian dress.

Princess Mary and her fiance, who are to be married on February 28. Viscount Lascelles is one of the wealthiest peers in the United Kingdom.

Only Woman to Enter Annual American Dog Race Across Snows

It will take plenty of courage and skill, but Miss Lydia Hutchison, skilled dog driver, has the necessary requisites to enter a team of "huskies" in the annual American dog derby, which will be the first event of the Yellowstone Park golden anniversary fete. The race starts at Ashton, Idaho, on February 22 and covers seventy miles of rough snow country. She does not seem to be deterred by the male entrants. "That prize money looks good to me," she said, "and I'm just as good a driver."

Star Outfielder Desired by N. Y. Yankees

Amos Strunk the veteran star outfielder of the Chicago White Sox and formerly one of the mainstays with Connie Mack's champion Athletics, is much desired by the New York Yankees to round' out their club. Strunk could be a great asset for the 1921 champs of the American League.

Stove Which Signalled Pope's Election

From the chimney of this stove curled the eagerly-awaited puffs of white smoke announcing to the world that a new Pope had been chosen. The final ballots, unalloyed with straw gave forth the momentous white puffs To create the black smoke, which signalled "no decision," wet straw was cast into the stove with each block of indecisive ballots. This stove has been used for centuries for election duty.

Wounded Vets Urge President to Help Them First

Wounded veterans of the World War protested to President Harding against a soldiers' bonus taking precedence over funds for wounded and disabled veterans. Here is shown a committee from Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, appointed by a vote of patients to register the protest. The President in a message to Congress, said that a sales tax is the only plan to finance a veterans' bonus.

Montreal Priest Held For Alleged Murder of Brother

Father Adelard DeLorme, of Montreal, is charged with slaying his half-brother, Raoul DeLorme, to get $25,000 insurance and a $150,000 estate. The priest is shown in the inset above. Below is Raoul, whose body was found in the DeLorme home, where the alleged murder was committed. The evidence against Father DeLorme is circumstantial, centering around a revolver and alleged bloodstains found on his automomile, Serene, Father DeLorme, in jail, denies guilt.

Eugenic Bride is Wedded by Eugenic Pastor

Mrs. Andrew McCoy, of Berkeley, California, and her husband, a well-known San Francisco business man, had to qualify as a eugenic couple before they could be married by Rev. Robert F. Leavens, who, when he took over the pastorate of a Berkeley church, posted a notice that he would officiate only at eugenic marriages.

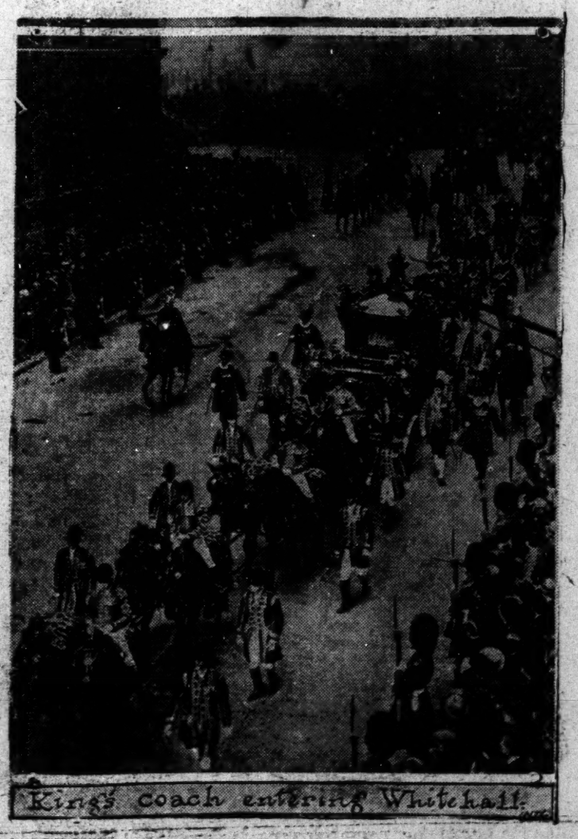
Corncob Pipe Is Given to President

There are pipes and pipes, but a Missouri delegation knew that the corncob pipe it presented to President Harding had them all beat. It was made of real old Missouri corncob. The delegation was headed by Mrs. T. Ziske, of Hillsboro, Mo., who said that she hoped that the President would find peace and comfort in its moderate use.

Cast of Shapely Limbs

She had a perfect "understanding" according to the Chicago Art Institute, which has honored Miss Mary Cranston, of that city, with the title of having the shapeliest limbs and feet in the United States. A cast of her feet and limbs has been added to the exhibits of the Art Institute at Chicago.

King George in State Coach Proceeding to Westminster



The procession at Princess Mary's wedding will resemble the above picture, King Georges state coach being used with attendants in fancy attire.

Textile Strike Pickets Took Lunch in Camp Style

The New England textile strike, the result of a wage cut of 25 per cent, has spread to nearly all of the large textile centres in the New England States, and 50,000 workers are out. Two troops of cavalry have been called out in Rhode Island to await orders. Here is shown Miss Nellie Skuce cooking dinner for pickets at Bellefonte, near Providence, Rhode Island. The insert shows Dennis M. Fleming, president of Textile Workers' Union, at Manchester, N. H., leader of the widespread strike.